



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Meisel

Serial No.: 09/772,736

Group Art Unit: 2837

Filed: January 30, 2001

Examiner: Jeffrey Donels

For: KEY ACTUATION SYSTEMS FOR KEYBOARD INSTRUMENTS

**PETITION FOR ACCEPTANCE
OF AN UNINTENTIONALLY DELAYED CLAIM**

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant's representative hereby submits this Petition for Acceptance of an Unintentionally Delayed Claim under 35 U.S.C. 119(e), 120, 121, and 365, the attached Amendment, and a check in the amount of \$1,300 representing the petition fee under 37 CFR 1.17(t). Applicant states in support of this Petition as follows:

1. The "Reference to Related Applications" section in this originally filed patent application failed to include several provisional patent applications that should have been part of the priority claim.

2. A corrected version of the priority claim is set forth in the attached Amendment.

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3. The entire delay between the date the claim was due under 37 CFR 1.78(a)(2) and the date the claim was filed was unintentional. The priority claim error was discovered by Applicant's representative during a routine review of the file's status.

Any questions concerning the present application should be directed to Applicant's below-signed representative.

Date: June 4, 2003

Respectfully submitted,

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